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NEWS OF THE DAY.

referred to the question of ic orm, and stated his belief House referred them to a Sefect Committee. that the measure which the Government intended to

introduce would propose a £10 franchise for counties

dispatch from Mr. Seward, intended to be a general acknowledgment of the many addresses of condolence which were forwarded from Great Britain to President Johnson on the occasion of the assassingtion of Mr.

dent of Peru has announced his intention to make a thorough change in the Administration of the Republic.

GENERAL NEWS.

the Tennessee delegation has been admitted to the displayed by the Virginia State Legislature.

The remains of Gen. W. W. Morris will leave Baltimore to-day by special train. Upon their arrival at Jersey City Depot a military escort will accompany utterly averse to securing them on any other: the body to the City Hall, where it will lie in state until services will take place at 19; p. m.

A boiler in the Illinois Central Railroad freight depot exploded yesterday morning, instantly killing the engineer Robert Hall. A piece of the boiler, clothed with the right of weighing about a tun, was forced upward through the ballot. It says broadly:

rived yesterday meraing, under the command of Capt.

Finehart. They numbered 185 men and the following officers: Surgeon Saddler, Capts. Fleischman and

—The fact that certain of the loyal States

cursion censuring the report of debates and proceedings sent to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to the New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring by whose votes this transfer to the New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring to the New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring to the New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring to the New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring to the New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring to the New-York and other papers, and is endeavoring to the New-York and other papers, and is end to the New-York and other papers, and is end to the New-York and other papers, and is end to the New-York and other papers, and the New-York and t to device some means whereby an official abstract of the debates may be furnished to the press of the late struggle. Thus, Connecticut recently re-

No. 525 Grenwich-st., en the body of Mrs. Mary Web- votes for Thomas H. Seymour as her Governor, not more than 2 cents—to make it equivalent ber, who committed snields by jumping into the North River at the foot of Charlion st. Grief at the less of a

yet ascertained, but is said to be large. The heaviest losers are Riordin & Glindon, shee dealers, and Dimick Republicans who stayed away from the polls last would be fair to make that its legal value.

Edward Lambert, 28th Louisiana Infantry (Rebel), who was sentenced to be hanged for murder on Friday next, had his sentence commuted yesterday by the President to 10 years' imprisonment in the peniton

The examination in the Hoboken Bounty Blacks of the North. Frauds was concluded yesterday before Commissioner Jackson, who held James Hughes to \$30,000 bail, but sequitted Stanley, as no evidence was elicited against

Righth-st., Jersey City, died yesterday afternoon from ment and dissolve the Union. They have been by the New-Jersey cars.

Dr. Elisha Huntington, formerly Lieutenant-Lowell, died last evening in that city, after a few days Diness, aged 69 years.

male infant, was found on Communipaw beach, near mot also our duty? Jersey City, where it had been washed by the tide.

President of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad at Balti- forfeitures of treason. If Georgia has never We are not sure, but we think President munities of the North and West will be pre-

meetings yesterday, but no important business was they could colorably claim the rights and im-

The receipts from internal revenue yesterday @mounted to \$830,000,

the Committee of Ways and Means in the House.

Government at Sche are steady. In Balland more, often exercised) to interdect the approach of the sooner they go the better for this country. place? While laws are made to cheapen and

ing for information in regard to the employment of persons in the Treasury Department, who have not taken the oath of allegiance, and whether there are persons employed and paid to for offices not provided by law, was taken up, amended and passed. Mr. Wilson called up a bill to protect the freedmen in the lately rebellions States. It declares that all laws heretofore in force in such States, whereby any inequality of civil rights and immunities among the inhabitants, on account of race and color, exist, are null and void.

Over a gigantic Rebellion, require less than this?

They who mainly keep up the clamor against Impartial Suffrage in the South protested quite as vehemently and screechily that use had no right to proclaim Emancipation. We did nevertheless, and won by it; our success made good that proclaims in the freedomen in the lately rebellions States. It declares that all laws heretheless, and won by it; our success made good that proclaims in the freedomen in the lately rebellions States. It declares that all laws heretheless, and won by it; our success made good that proclaims in the freedom of the United States, and of so much of article two as provides for electors of President and Vice-President of the Constitution of the United States, and of so much of article two as provides for the United States, and the mode of their election, and also in lieu of amendment with Constitution of the United States, and of so much of article two as provides for the United States, and the mode of their election, and also in lieu of amendment with Constitution of the United States, and of so much of article two as provides for the United States, and the mode of their election, and also in lieu of amendment with Constitution of the United States, and the mode of the United States, and the mode of the United States, and the mode of the United States, and the united States of Mercica the ment of persons in the Treasury Department,\$10.00 who have not taken the oath of allegiance, and We will thank our advertising customers to hand the inhabitants, on account of race and color, If exist, are null and void.

To Correspondents.

State of Anonymous Communications
Whatever is intended for insertion must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer—not necessarily for the sood fairs.

**State of the subject and take some legislative action as to the future disposition to be unsure settlers for the other shown be addressed to "The bosiness letters for the other shown be addressed to "The bosiness for the future disposition to be made of said Corps. After some debate the sale, even when they obtained them by honor-able service in the Union armies; their school-have the right to vote, to wit: Male citizens of the future disposition to be addressed to "The bosiness for the other shown be addressed to "The bosiness for the other shown be addressed to "The bosiness for the other shown be addressed to "The bosiness for the other shown be addressed to "The bosiness for the bo By the arrival of the steamships City of Bos Monument, and dedicating it to the memories of the South. Can we afford to admit ex-Rebels to and Java at this port, we have seven days later of both Washington and Lincoln. Resolutions to seats in Congress without some guaranty for on Negro Suffrage were introduced by Mr. the lives and liberties of the Black Unionists we learn that hostile operations are suspended going through the modern history of the Tory party, he them on the table (yeas, 43; nays, 113), the do so !

and a £6 franchise for boroughs. He was prepared to eleventh pages of this morning's TRIBUSE will truthful man. It is verbatim as follows: surpoort such a measure, and thought it ought to be ac-Mr. Stephens, the Fenian Head Center, is Proceedings of both branches of the City Govsaid to have arrived in Paris. The publisher of The ernment, and of the Board of Supervisors; Re-Irisk Propletaste a seatesced to 20 years' imprison- port from the Committee on Arts and Sciences, The London papers of the 2d inst., contain a European News, and a variety of local and gen-

IMPEDIMENTS TO PEACE.

Wesley was eminently right in insisting-According to the latest advices from South America against the remonstrance of his friend who the blockade of Santingo was still going on. The Presi thought dancing-tunes unfitted for religious services-that the devil had no right to a monopoly of all the best music. And yet we know that he lays claim to this, as to many Inasmuch, says a Washington special, as other good things to which he has no valid title.

floor of the House, the delegations from Virginia and between all the diverse elements composing her mitted to the same privilege. There are certainly four, People; most others also desire it—at least, and perhaps five, of the Virginia delegation who can they say so-so that its early realization would no means pleased with the temper and spirit new being particulars, we find that these most noisily clamoring for conciliation and fraternity want them on precisely their own conditions, and are

The N. Y. Times at length takes ground to morrow (Friday) at it o'clock a. m. The body will openly, decisively against an exaction by the fiends three or four years ago. Thousands like then be escorted to Trimity Church, where the funeral loyal supporters of our Government and Union him have been murdered in Texas alone; and their supporters in the Rebel States shall be dare not describe. clothed with the right of self-protection by the

bellot. It says broadly:

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The Annual Convention of the Base Ball It is consequenced to the late Sixes whell as a meanded, and now the Association is a regular in corporated society.

An inquest was held yesterday upon the body of Peter McGeraty, was died from the effects of blows upon the beat inflicted by Michael Healy, on the remaining of the 20th ult, in the lodging house, No. 2 seems of the 20th ult, in the lodging house, No. 2 two by the Northern States, they are in no position to misst that the Southern polis. The above reports were received and the Committee of the Contest that in the contest that in the contest the Black will attend the contest that more than three feathers of the Contest that in the contest tha

officers: Surgeon Saddler, Capts. Fleischman and The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The Softward take, by captain the process of the Mediterration of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be most generally acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be acceptable acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal States would be acceptable. The fact that certain of the loyal State by whose votes this result is secured have been acceptable across the ocean, it would suit us fused to enfranchise her Blacks by about 26,000 If the franc be taken, we would be required precisely because he was an avowed, con- to 5 francs; when our eagle would be 50 francs, sistent, determined enemy of the War for and our double eagle 100 francs. Our smaller October and thus gave a triumph to the foes of The British standard would have to be re

on its merits:

Governor of Massachusetts, and many times Mayor of to secure this aid, we were obliged to make war needed reform fairly inaugurated at this session. on Slavery (our real assailant) and proclaim At a meeting of the Central Railroad Direc- Emancipation. We publicly, solumnly pledged

is abundant at 7 per cent, "strictly on call," and long charges in quoted at ments are not in favor. Best commercial paper is quoted at New Subjects, they have returned; and now we ask only that they receive the loyalists of New Longhest of R. I. submitted on the 11th In the Senate, yesterday, the resolution callDid ever a Government, completely triumphant inst, to the House a proposal to amend the Fedover a gigantic Rebellion, require less than this?

exist, are null and void.

In the House Mr. Schenek reported a joint resolution that the President be requested to suspend any order mustering out the officers of which removished Palels are at all inclined to the suspend any order mustering out the officers of which removished Palels are at all inclined to question, was passed, year 111; nays 50. Mr. off; they are not allowed to sue or to viding for the registration of voters, for ascertaining testify in the Courts of several Southern States; their qualifications, for the times and manner of con-Stevens's resolution, as amended by the Schate, was taken up and passed without debate; also one directing the Committee on the death of and it is to-day only at the peril of his life that one directing the Committee on the death of and it is to-day only at the peril of his life that one directing the registration of voters, for ascertaining their qualifications, for the registration of voters, for ascertaining their qualifications, for the times and manner of conducting such elections and for preventing frauds there in, and for declaring their result. President Lincoln to take into consideration the a Black Union soldier ventures to return to the expediency of completing the Washington home of his family throughout a great portion Farnsworth of Illinois. After refusing to lay of the South? Would it not be perfidy to only to be renewed again. Merchants inter-

In the supplement and on the third and known to thousands in this City as a worthy, of Europe against | Spanish interference with

SHERMAN, Grayson County, Texas, Oct. 31, 1863. refugees in this part of Texas! for, unless we get some pretty much of the time, as my life had been threatened the event I could be caught away from home.

ton Holt) came round to my house with a double-bar- about the Chincha Islands, and now desires a reled gan, and swore he was going to kill me because war with Chili. The Ministry of Madrid is not I was a Federal.

effect in his breast; but, owing to the light charge, he We desire a true Peace in our country, and head and one shot struck me in the left eye, and four that foolish feeling of national vanity, which our or five others entered my face. I am not dangerously writers call Castilian pride, by repossessing the wounded, but I am fearful I will lese my eye. Since I was wounded, the rowdies have cut up a great

deal, and threatened to assassinate every Union man

Such is the plain letter of a plain, honest man, who barely escaped with his life from these loyal supporters of our Government and Union through their late struggle for existence that thousands more have suffered tortures that we their supporters in the Rebel States shall be describe.

Russia and the German powers. We trust the difficulties with Chili will be settled without a difficul

-" What has all this to do with Negro Suf-

made Chairman of the House Committee on Coins, Weights, and Measures, has given much attention, both here and in Europe, to the subject of a common unit for all the currencies of the civilized world, and will, we trust, submit a proposition from his Committee to the House at an early day. Meanwhile, we make the following suggestion:

tribution of our colored population throughout throughout throughout the United States, so that each State should have something like an equal proportion, would be exceedingly happy in its political consequences. On the other hand, every Southern and after three days siekness he died, respected as a true and kind-hearted gentleman and as an artist of the civilized world, and will, we trust, submit a proposition from his Committee to the House at an early day. Meanwhile, we make the following suggestion:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Dec. 13, 1863.

War having been declared against Spain by the Gorenneet of Chill, it is possible that, during the pedecker and after three days siekness he died, respected as a true and kind-hearted gentleman and as an artist of the other. Committee to the House at an early day. Meanwhile, we make the following suggestion:

Fire this Morning.

Perhaps the French franc is the unit which that until we of the North establish that sailrage for courselves, we have no right to force it upon others."

Perhaps the French frame is the unit which courselves, we have no right to force it upon others."

Perhaps the French frame is the unit which Let Southern civizens systematically encourage the would be most generally acceptable. The Korthward tide, by employing White labor preferably to Elack labor, and by seeking Black labor, when they adopted elsewhere.

Human Liberty; but it is not true-and well duced the merest fraction to make 4 shillings Right of Suffrage for the Blacks of the South to 25 francs. Then our dollar would be 4 shil-The Whites of the South have, as a class, London 9 per cent. premium when it is really

Mr. Bassett continues to act as the Gerk to and society. While the negro is badly treated, will never do anything but blow the expiring will never do anythi

JOINT RESOLUTION

SPAIN AND CHILL.

Scarcely have we heard the news of the declaration of war against Chili by Spain, when ested in copper have had many opportunities of As we write, a letter is handed us from a making and losing large sums of money by the White Unionist-Mr. F. W. Sumner, of Texas- vacillation of Spanish Ministers. The protests Chili have had no effect. Her Catholic Majesty announces that unless the demands of Spain are Hox. Horace Greeter. - Dear Friend: I was in granted, war is inevitable. Her demands are hopes by this time that I should have some good news for trivial. Spain looks longingly upon these South your readers. But also for Union men and the returned | American Republics, viewing them as her own by of the Board of Alderman; four days later protection soon from the Federal army, we will all be virtue of the conquests of Cortez and Pizarro, and assassinated or driven out of the country. I arrived although she has recognized their independence, here safe on the 12th of July last and found my family never ceases to press her claims as the lawful all well, and managed to stay here unmolested till ruler. She went to Mexico with this purpose, lately, by staying at home and keeping in the house but was cheated by France. She captured San Domingo, and made that Republic her province; Last Saturday evening, one of the desperadoes (Hous. she endeavered to provoke a war with Peru strong at home. Torpid, dormant Spain, as We both fired about the same time. My shot took Mr. Buckle calls that country, is not on the best was not mortally wounded. His shot struck me in the terms with her rulers, and they hope to pander to colonies of America. The weakness of Americs, and the impunity enjoyed by Maximilian write this. I would like to write more, but for the the sudden assault on Chill. The protest of to Wednesday morning nearly \$3,000 had been his opinion the banks referred to are untrustworthy, present it is impossible. Oh, why don't the Government send us protection? I am, most respectfully.

English coppersmiths, will, we fear, have little seats, at the same time observing that many of the best weight in the Escurial. Monarchs have learned seats, at the same time observing that many of the best be drawn that they possess extraordinary facilities for sets were yet for sale at the various places, appointed. to value English protests properly since He further stated that, from the interest exhibited in this the case. The Controller also desires attention called Poland and Schleswig and we scarcely noble object, he had no doubt that all the seats and to the fact that certain parties in this city are endear think Spain will be less haughty than a large proportion of the dollar tickets would be taken oring to raise, by means of a contribution on the re-Russia and the German powers. We trust the up before the evening (this evening) of the performance. continent for a thousand years. A war of this kind, however, so far as Chili is concerned, is Concert would be inserted free of all charge. rote, the South will be preponderantly loyal, and the God of Battles will strengthen the arm of adjourned until next Saturday, at 3 o'clock p. m., at

"Send the negroes North by thousands every day

There is a color of fairness in this statement. but no one would mistake it for logic. The case of the South, as shown by The Sentinel, is so far Coroner Gover yesterday held an inquest at negative votes. But in 1863, she gave 38,000 to reduce the value of our dollar a very little—bread, pauses to choose its labor, and, rather to the poly of Mrs. Mary Web. than have it Black, would allow its people to and vicinity who go with us, are requested to call at starve. The labor which it calls for is far off- my office, No. 91 West-st., and procure their tickets. the labor which it needs is right at home. Why stroyed nine buildings. The amount of the loss is not —over 42,000—for McClellan and the Chicago standard. The franc is now all but identical not distribute that labor, over-crowded in locali-Platform. We do not excuse her treacherous in actual value with two of our dimes, and it ties, throughout the South, instead of encour-We have no objection to receiving in the

The Times knows it—that they who desire the equivalent to 5 francs, and the pound sterling can spare, and all that can come from Europe. oppose the extension of that same right to the lings and the pound sterling \$5, as they ought the old proverb is mainly true—" Beggars canto be declared at once. The false pretense that not be choosers." California accepts Chinamen; Now, then, to the practical case, considered our dollar is worth 4s. 6d. sterling, when it falls not long ago, the South was willing to import far short of that amount, makes exchange on labor from Airica, because it was cheap; and, now, a hundred-fold more than ever, needs the James McAlone, residing at No. 311 South done their very worst to overthrow the Governdone their very worst to overthrow the Governword and discover the Linion. They have been the linion of the South nave, as a class, London 9 per cent. premium when it is realist and cheapest labor obtainable to redone their very worst to overthrow the Governword and discover the Linion. They have been the linion of the south nave, as a class, the south nave, the south nave, as a class, the south nave, the Injuries received by being run over the evening previous beaten in fair fight, wherein the loyalists of the rency, and are prepared to throw light on the North were powerfully aided by the sympathies subject, to communicate with Mr. Kasson. If strange hallucinations of the South, that its dearer labor should come in its stead.

There is still another view which we com-Mr. G. Pierre Toutant Beauregard has issued mend to Southern economists, who have perhaps too sanguine hopes from speedy immigrafit of this important and useful association will be given
tors held in Albany yestersday afternoon, Dean Richourselves not merely to achieve the freedom of mond was restacted President, and R. M. Elstehford the Blacks, but to maintain it. Having utterly "Beauty and Booty" style, but as near to it tion. Foreign immigration into the South will on Friday, at Niblo's, at 1; o'clock. The regular theavanquished our and their foes, have we not a as the change of circumstances will permit. be necessarily slow, while the North and West trical company of Niblo's will participate in the repre-Yesterday afternoon the body of a new born clear right to make good this pledge? And is it "At one time," says G. P. T. B., "in order to present so many more familiar attractions and the house should be full. escape the hatred of Northern fanaties, I inducements. The labor of the old capitals, A bill granting suffrage to colored people in the Universe have th A san granting surrage to colored people in the Union. For argument's generous sentiments expressed by President est advantages and conveniences compatible sake, admit it. Still, their Whites have, al- Johnson toward the Southern States have with a crowded population; and, other things J. W. Garrett, esq., was unanimously elected most universally, incurred the penalties and persuaded me to remain in Louisiana."— being equal, the free and comfortable combeen out of the Union, her White inhabitants Johnson would suspend his generous sentiments ferred. But, more important to the South are The prominent committees of Congress held have surely been out of the position wherein long enough to allow this foolish braggart to the White workmen of the North; and here it munities of loyal American citizens. Say that favor of colonization or expatriation on any conthe State remained in the Union, but that those siderable scale, for the South needs workers, war) will ask higher guaranties than the undewho became Rebels have ferfeited their politi- but the Beauregard Bourbons will never work, veloped chances of an unsettled territory and

gages, State bonds and Bank shares little doing. The new flagrant Rebels to the ballot-box. The Rebels We have no special ill-will to Brazil, but if Mr. cheat labor, what sort of competition will incoal stocks were firm. Railway shares were stronger. At themselves uniformly contended that they had the Second Board Government stocks were bigher and firm, with considerable purchases for foreign account. Money with considerable purchases for foreign account. Money is abundant at 7 per cent, "strictly on call," and long engagethat would be the wildest folly. If the native negroes cannot live in the South, surely Northern men cannot.

We are led to think that the real and necessary problem of the South is how to distribute its own labor within its own borders, or, in loudest applauded. The sentiment that he would to men's honor in everything save the guaranties of other words, how not to nurse the chimera that liberty, and that must be secured firm and immovable the world will, in the nature of mankind and as the mountains, was most enthusiastically applauded events, come to its aid too soon. The true pie- So when he announced in regard to the reconstrue ture of the South is, in many respects, most de. of the South, he maintained "it could not be plorable and touching; and we would gladly welcome at this time a Southern statesman or equal suffrage men are to have their say, and Gens. R3. journalist who feels and knows this truth patrick and John L. Swift, and the Hoa. N. P. B strongly, and will set his convictions to work to will be the speakers. bring forth good fruits. The question with the South is not how to get into Congress, but how to settle its labor.

The Press (Philadelphia) is one of the warmest supporters of conciliation and peace on the bases suggested by the President; but its temper is often sorely tried, as will be judged from the following "Occasional" note from its Editor, Col. Forney, in Washington:

"I met, this morning, a gallant Southerner from Alabama, who ran for Congress in one of the mountain districts, and was defeated by a Rebel General, whose sole claim to the votes was the fact that he had lost a sole claim to the votes was the fact that he had lost a limb in the Rebel service, and also because the people knew that he never would take this same oath. The Unionist received 2,100 votes, and the Rebel 3,200 and the latter openly declared he never would take the Congressional obligation, of the six Members and two Senators elected from Alabama, but one can take the oath. Now, it may be called a hardship to leave the people of such districts without representation; but would it not be a greater hardship to allow them to believe that their rebellion was in fact creditable, by admitting the men who led them into battle to seats in the Congress of a strengthened and restored Union? This, in fact, would be to make loyalty infamous instead of treason.

FLORIDA, on a poll of about 4,800 votes, has elected State officers as follows:

ters, but proposes to make another Southern tour wint-Governor-David S. Walker, without opposition.
Lieutenant-Governor-W. W. J. Kelley. Secretary of
State-B. F. Allen. Attorney-General-J. B. Galbraith. Controller-L. G. Pyles. Treasurer-C. H.
Austen. Representative in Congress-Ferdinand McLeod. Judge of Suwanee Circuit-T. T. Long. Judge
of Eastern Circuit-F. A. Puinam.

The population of several of the principal English cities, with their weekly average of Births and

Cities.			Deaths.
London	3,034,906	1,949	1,377
Liverpool	479,341	323	276
Manchester	2 356,396	265	201
Salford	· 111,605	82	544
Birminghan	330,804	257	150
Leeds	225,577	167	314
Bristol	102,508	104	73

Musical.

THE WALLACE MEMORIAL CONCRET. A meeting of the Wallace Memorial Concert Committee was held at Irving Hall yesterday afternoon. by reason of their influence they can greatly facilitate absence of Mr. Max Marctack, detained on unavoidable provided they will keep their accounts business. The report of the Concert Committee was in with the banks sending the circulars, effect that all advertisements of the Wallace Memorial

Fire this Morning.

A fire was discovered this morning in the three-story brick building occupied as a tea store by J. Stiner & Co., No. 9 Vesey-st. between Church-st. and College-place, and indications, as we write, are that the

The Mercer Expedition. To the Editor of The N. Y. Tribune

MENCHANTS' HOTEL, NEW-YORK, Dec. 13, 1865. SIR: The steamship Continental, in which my party of ladies sail for Seattle, W. T., is now very nearly ready for sea, and those persons now in the city As we can accommodate 30 more passengers, I mak

expedition, viz.: Orphan and poor girls can have pass-\$200. All go as cabin passengers. Those wishing to avail themselves of this opportunity

Macellan in mid Summer, will please call and make ar A. S. MUCER, rangements soon. Emmigrant Agent, W. F., 91 West-st., New-York.

DEATH OF MRS. CHARLES DILLON.-Members

of the theatricel profession will learn with regret the calamity that has befallen their brother actor, Mr. Charles Dillon, whose wife died suddenly, in this city. vative. at noon on Tuesday, the 12th inst, of typhoid fever. The remains of Mrs. Dillon will be conveyed to their last resting place, at Greenwood Cemetery. The funcral will take place at at St. Mark's Church, in Stuyvesant-place, at 11 o'clock to-day. The Rev. Dr. Vinton North were powerfully aided by the sympathics subject, to communicate with Mr. Kasson. If cheap native labor should go North, and that will conduct the funeral services. Our sincere sympa- and the arms of the Southern Blacks. In order sufficient interest is evinced, we may have the

AMERICAN DRAMATIC FUND SOCIETY .- MATI-NEE AT NIBLO'S GARDEN .- A performance for the bene-Election of Officers of the New-York Cen-

tral Railroad,

of the New-York Central Railroad, the following ticket was chosen: Dean Richmond, Richard M. Blaichford, John H. Chedell, Alonzo C. Paige, J. V. L. Prays, Livingston Spraker, Cornelius L. Tracy, Charles H. Russell, Henry H. Martin, James H. Banker, Horace F. Clark, A. D. White, Inspectors of next election: George Dexter, Rufus G. Beardsiee and Stephen Grocebeck.

The Rentucky Legisladure. LOUISVILLS, Ky., Tuesday, Dec. 12, 1885. In the House of the Kentucky Legislature a

bill was adopted restoring all persons to their constitu-tional and legal rights, wherever they were deprived or them by an act cuttifed "Cataria perpetriation and aliena," and March 11, 1862.

PROM WASHINGTON.

Special Dispatch to The R. Y. Tribuna.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 12, 1866. MR. BEECHER'S SERMON.

Mr. Beecher's sermon at the Freedmen's AM Commission to-night was of characteristic quality, enthusiastically received. The galleries and ball of the House were densely crowded, and those portions of sermon taking highest and most radical ground, ven loudest applauded. The sentiment that he would to one hour too soon, so that it be thorough." The plause was sensibly diminished. To-morrow night the

THE GOLD COUPONS.

The Treasury Department is making preparations to commence the payment of the gold coupons falling due in January, although the order therein has not yet been issued. CASE OF COMMODORE CRAVEN.

The Commodore Craven verdict is now ready for issue, and will be given public in a few days. PERSONAL. Major-Gen. Butler arrived here this evening and will remain but a few days. The Hon. Daniel &

Dickenson had a lengthy interview with the President this morning. Wm. A. Cromwell of Maine, and inte chief clerk of the Fourth Auditor's office, was tode;

GEN. GRANT GOING SOUTH AGAIN. Gen. Grant is again on duty at his headquar-

in a few weeks, extending his journey as far south as New-Orleans and the different military posts on the Ric

The receipts from Internal Revenue to-day

SPE ER COLFAX'S LECTURE.

Speaker Colfax's lecture, "Across the Coninent,"was honored by an immense audience on Tuesday night. At its close, Mr. Beecher, who was on the platform, was loudly called for. He arose, and in elequent words endersed all Mr. Colfax had said of the Mor ons and the Pacific Railroad. IMPOSING UPON NATIONAL BANKS-A CORRE

TION PUND.

It having come to the knowledge of the Treasury Department that certain New-York banking to newly established National Banks, representing that rious national Banks, a corruption fund of \$250,000 for benefit of their lost circulation.

This scheme Mr. Clarke discountences altogether and recommends that the Banks, which have already con tributed their quota immediately demand the refunding of the money advanced for so dishonorable a

CHILI-IMPORTANT CIRCULAR.

The Secretary of the Treasury to-day issued the following important circular relative to Chillen.

March 2, 1799, entitled "An act to regulate the conve-tion of duties on imports and tonnage," in which case, the provisions of that section must be strictly enforced. Collectors will direct the commanding officers of the revenue cutters in their respective districts to war all vessels of either beiligerent that they may find endeavoring to enter the ports of the United States, with prizes or captures in charge of prize rows, that they are not permitted so to do, except when they seek a port of refuge in distress, and, in this case, the Colectors will promptly notify the Det are of such arrival, and the circumst artending the

same. H. McCultoca, Secretary of the Treasury.
To Collectors and other officers of the Customs.

To the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1883. GEN. KIRKPATRICK ON NEGRO SUPPRAGE. A paragraph has been published that Gen, dipatrick would address a meeting here in favored admired suffrage. This was whelly unauthorized and correct. His position on the continued and scorrect. His position on the suffrage question was istinctly defined in the New Jersey canvass, and is m-

It is believed that Messrs. Garland of Arkansas and Marr of Louisiana are the only lawyers who North and West all the laborers that the South to secure a cheap passage to the Pacific slope, and have have applied to the United States Supreme Court to be the pleasure of a passage through the Straits of readmitted to that bar without being required to take the oath of loyalty as prescribed by Congress. The discussion as to the constitutionality of the cath wills argued on Friday.

The House Committee on Foreign Relations, it is understood, will take strong grounds on the Merian question. The Senate Committee is more conser

Gen. Grant expresses himself as on the whole pleased with his Southern tour. He regretted to find the people in some quarters, however, suites and inclined to be morose.

The bill to prevent, for the present, the impertation of foreign cattle, in order to guard again at the plague, has passed both Houses of Congress, and therefore only requires the President's signature to become a law. This is the first bill passed this sess on.

The joint special committee of the two houses of Congress on the death of President Lincoln, hold a meeting yesterday. It is understood that they will, probably, report in favor of numerial stavices in February, with the Hon. E. M. Stanton as orator for

The Emperor Francis Joseph's Attempt to effect a reconciliation with his Hangratian subjects At an election held here to-day for Directors see a to be provoking much discontent, in his German peror's policy seems to be generally regarded with . more or less warm approved.

The President is requested by the House to suspend the order must ering out efficers of the Veteras Reserve Corps until Congress shall have acted on the